

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of: Yoshiyuki ISHIKURA et al. ) Confirmation No.: 4059  
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Application No.: 10/541,073 ) Group Art Unit: 1611  
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Filed: June 29, 2005 ) Examiner: Joseph S. Kudla  
  
For: COMPOSITION HAVING ACTION PREVENTING OR ALLEVIATING SYMPTOMS  
OR DISEASES DUE TO AGING OF BLOOD VESSELS

**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111**

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Sir:

The present paper responds to the Office Action mailed January 16, 2008. The present response is timely filed on or before July 16, 2008, by virtue of the concurrently filed petition for a three (3) month extension of time. The Examiner is respectfully requested to consider and enter the following amendments and remarks.

**Amendments to the specification** begin on page 2.

**Amendments to the claims** begin on page 5.

**Remarks** begin on page 7.